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Rock Kits For Case IH Combines

If you own a Case IH combine, you'll be interested in this new rock beater that's designed to replace the existing rock trap on 60, 80, and 88 series combines.

"It's the most efficient rock beater on the market today, letting more crop material through and allowing you to harvest faster while relieving stress on the rotor and the rest of the machine," says Carl Vogt, CATO Co., Chokio, Minn.

The new rock beater has a spiral shape which ensures that 70 percent of the opening in the beater is always open so the crop can flow smoothly into the rotor, virtually eliminating back feeding.

"The factory rock beaters on Case IH 60, 80, and the new 88 series combines all have a straight design which reduces how much time the opening in the beater stays open. It's like the difference between a door that opens and shuts all the time, and a revolving door that's continuously open. Our beater opens up the feeding area so you can get more crop material into the rotor and still have good rock protection," says Vogt.

"These combines were originally designed in the 1980's when most farmers were using 20-ft. headers. At that time farmers were more concerned with rocks causing damage to the rotor than with feeding the crop



Optional bolt-on "shark teeth" can be added to increase feeding ability.

through. However, as farmers started using wider headers, the additional crop material started causing bottlenecks at the rock trap. Our rock beater ensures the rock trap isn't the limiting factor in the combine anymore. A lot of farmers have told us they can go 1/2 to 1 mph faster, and start 1 to 2 hrs. earlier in the morning and never have to reverse the feederhouse."

Bolt-on "shark" teeth can be added to increase the feeding ability in extremely green viney crops. A smooth wearing edge is also available.

Sells for \$1,075 plus S&H.

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Fast & Easy Tree Mover



Model 100

Ilchuk Tree Mover mounts on front-end loader. It saves more roots than a 30-in. spade mover.

Model 100 makes a rootball 30 by 30-in. sq. and 20-in. deep. Ideal tree size is 9 ft. but will handle 10 to 12-ft. spruce and poplars up to 16 ft.

Models 200 & 300 handle small trees and shrubs. Model 200 up to 19-in. rootball. Model 300 up to 24-in. rootball. It gets around low branches. Fits skid steer loaders, front-end loaders, small backhoes, 3-pt. hitches with down pressure or our 3-pt. stabilizer.

Contact: Ilchuk Tree Mover, 4003 Gallaghers Terrace, Kelowna, B.C. V1W 3Z8 Canada (ph 250 860-6610).

Notice: Ilchuk Tree Mover Mfg. Co. is for sale, due to retiring founder. It's a great business opportunity.

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Lift Kits Boost Pickup, Van Capacity

If you're tired of bottoming out when carrying big loads, you'll like these simple Timbren "Little Rubber Load booster" kits.

Rated at 1,600 to 9,000 lbs. for pickups and vans, the kits install in 30 minutes to an hour. Unlike air shock booster kits, the 4 to 5-in. dia. hollow rubber springs never need adjusting once installed. They bolt to existing holes between the frame and axle and do not take the place of the existing leaf springs. They flex in conjunction with them to improve ride stability and protect against overloading.

The kit eliminates sway, increases

overall stability and prevents bottoming out, all while maintaining the existing soft ride while empty, Schuling Hitch says.

Sells for approximately \$250 to \$350. Carries a lifetime warranty.

Contact: FARM SHOW Followup, Schuling Hitch Company, 216 Alexander Ave., Ames, Iowa 50010 (ph 800 464-0945 or 515 233-2265; fax 3750; website: www.schulinghitch.com).

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